

HORSE:

Horse Committee Members: Misty Radue, 388-6655; Amy Lewis, 580-6693; Katie Cooper, 580-9278, Dana Adams, 587-3072; Barb Barber, 282-7030; Jeff Cooper, 388-1624.

The next Horse Committee Meeting is March 20th at 6:30 pm at the Kountry Korner Kafe in Four Corners.

PLEASE REMEMBER YOU MUST BE SIGNED UP FOR HORSEMANSHIP IN ORDER TO ATTEND THESE WORKSHOPS!!! HORSELESS HORSE MEMBERS WHO ARE SIGNED UP FOR BOTH HORSELESS HORSE AND HORSEMANSHIP ARE ALSO WELCOME TO ATTEND.

ATTENTION: PLEASE REMEMBER YOU MUST BE LEVEL 4 OR UP TO ATTEND THE RANCH HORSE AND COLT TO MATURITY WORKSHOPS. IF YOU HAVE NOT ASSESSED TO LEVEL 4 YET, PLEASE CONTACT A HORSE COMMITTEE MEMBER ASAP. NO NON LEVEL 4 OR UP MEMBERS WILL BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE.

HELMETS ARE REQUIRED FOR ALL HORSE RELATED 4-H ACTIVITIES. NO EXCEPTIONS!!!! Helmets are ready to be picked up. Call Katie to make arrangements.

If you haven't filled out a 2005-2006 contract yet, or haven't turned in your horse ID cards, please do so ASAP at the 4-H office. Call Katie with questions. All contracts and ID cards must be finalized by May 1st. If you assess, please contact the 4-H office to let them know. There are several discrepancies, and in order to participate in fair you must be listed in the correct level at the 4-H office.



Horsemanship:

March 18th and 19th: Patrick Severance Workshop. See separate description for details.

March 26th: Advanced Horsemanship with Joani Kissock. LEVEL 4 and UP ONLY. Please call Barb Brewster at 587-1196 to pre-register by March 20th. Limited to first 16 registered members. English and Western time slots available. Ask for details upon pre-registration. \$30.00 for 3 total hours of instruction. Clinic will be held at Circle L Arena. Auditors welcome.

March 26th: ENGLISH WORKSHOP. LEVELS 1,2 and 3 only. 5:30-7:30 PM. English workshop taught by Amy Morgan. Call Dana by March 20th to pre-register. This workshop is to follow the Joani Kissock workshop AT CIRCLE L ARENA.

April 2nd: Showing and Show Ring Etiquette Workshop. LEVEL 1,2 and 3 only. Call Katie by March 27th to pre-register. Level 1 at 1:00 pm, Level 2 at 2:00 pm, and Level 3 at 3:00 pm. Sessions limited to 10 riders.

Green Horse/C2M: C2M reminder March 4th Kountz Arena. Make sure you sign up for the Patrick Severance Clinic for colts on Friday night, March 17th, 6:00 pm. Call Barb at 282-7030 to pre-register.

Ranch Horse: Call Jeff at 388-1624 to pre-register.

Horseless Horse: NO MEETING IN MARCH. April meeting will be April 10th at Susan Taylor's arena. Details in April Newsletter.

2005 STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW

The 2005 State 4-H Horse Show is being held in Dillon on May 5th, 6th, and 7th, 2006. All of the regular classes will be held along with some fun classes and entertainment. The schedule will be basically the same as last year. There are beautiful buckles, great ribbons, and other prizes waiting to go home with you. Since this is a spring show, many of the horses may be hairy (no worries) and so for fun there will be a prize for the horse with the most hair. You can pick up registration information at the Gallatin County Extension Office or on-line at www.montana4h.org, click on 4H Center, projects, horse. Contact us at 582-3280 if you have any questions.

SUMMER FUN IN BOZEMAN OPEN HORSE SHOW

Don't miss the "Summer Fun in Bozeman" open horse show fundraiser for the Gallatin County 4-H Horse program to be held on June 17-18, 2006 at the Gallatin County Fairgrounds. This show has been approved by the Montana State Horse Show Association and is an American Paint Horse Association special event as well as a APHA Paint Alternative Competition. Affordable fees are required depending on the classes you wish to participate in. For complete details, contact the Gallatin County MSU Extension Office at 582-3280 or 4-H leaders Christine Holland (388-0829) or Katie Cooper (580-9278).

The Gallatin Saddle & Harness Club will be holding their Winter Wooly Horse Show on March 25th. For more information, call Carrie at 587-9305.